Answered.

Shelburn Vermont.
May 20th 1868

Wm Lloyd Garrison Esq

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Dear Sir

I trust that you will pardon the liberty I have taken in addressing you. when you learn the reason why. Perhaps you remember visiting my place in Company with Misses. Bigelow of Burlington & Johnson of N.Y. and now I wish to say that I have grown old and am unable to manage my farm. and am anxious to sell it. Its rare beauty in the Summer season. its fine fishing grounds — its beautiful Cedar Groves. all tend to make it a very attractive place to city people. & I thot that you might know of some friend who would like such

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a Country Residence. There is 140 Acres of land - in a high State of Cultivation. & at a low estimate. Timber enough for 20 years use. & Cedar that if sold, would bring some 4. or $5.000. at the present prices - My price is $14.000 I have bo't a Home in our pleasant Village - am now living there. Should you ever come to Vermont. do not fail to come and see your aged friend.) Trusting that I have not taken up too much of your valuable time. I remain

Very Respectfully
Yours &c. Sm.t
Isaac Smith
Jr Wm. H. Holabird

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